

Our Daily Bread
Sliced Thin by The Editor
—Alex. H. Washburn—
Law—It's Wonderful
But the Legislature
Is Dreaming Out Loud

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Law-making is a wonderful thing. And when the law-makers turn it into a pastime it's positively entrancing.

Law used to be a comparatively simple thing—like the setting of automobile speed limits, or the regulation of dogs running at large. But now our law-makers are down to the business of day-dreaming in an expensive way. They are going to tell us how to run private enterprise. They are going to write into the lawbook the exact art of how to make money. And if the federal government would just let 'em coin money they'd really go places.

But alas, it's against the law to coin money in Little Rock, and this bill "to prohibit sale of merchandise at less than cost" is counterfeited too.

It doesn't make any difference what the house said yesterday, or what the senate decides tomorrow—the first court of law that tries a case under this bill will breathe coldly down the naked necks of our perspiring but simple-minded legislators.

I shouldn't write such mean things about the Little Rock boys. But it makes just about as much sense as would a bill to prohibit the Little Rock papers from coming out on Tuesday, or a bill to prohibit the Little Rock boys from coming out on Tuesday. And that's one time Hope and Little Rock would absolutely agree.

Extension Classes to Start Here

Two college extension classes, one for white teachers and one for negro teachers, will begin at Hope on Tuesday, February 1, according to announcement by E. R. Brown, Hempstead County School Supervisor.

The first in Arkansas history will be offered for white teachers who may wish to enroll. The first meeting will be Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at Hope High School. Dolphus Whitten, Jr., director of extension and associate professor of history at Henderson State Teachers College, will be the instructor.

A class in Arithmetic for teachers will be offered for negro teachers at the same time. The first meeting will be Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at Yerger High School. Dr. Hugh H. Hyman, head professor of mathematics and physics at Henderson, will instruct the class.

House Bill Is Aimed at Idle M&A Railway

Little Rock, Jan. 28 —(AP)—A tax bill admittedly aimed at the owners of the long-idle Missouri and Arkansas railroad has been passed by the Arkansas house.

The measure would levy a tax of \$225,000 on scrap rail and other scrap metal obtained by junking the system and a tax of 25 per cent of the gross salvage value of rolling stock and other property.

The vote was 71-9. There virtually was no debate.

Rep. J. Carol Jones of Boone county said the bill had been worded to exempt all railroads except the M. & A.

The senate Commerce committee has postponed its consideration of the line until April 6, 1949, to permit interested persons to try to find a way to reopen the railroad. The line shut down after a strike in 1946. It now is owned by a New York salvage firm.

(While the house made the latest of numerous moves which Arkansas interests have started in an effort to "save" the line, short-wave radio reports from Harrison told of serious damage to the abandoned roadbed, tracks and bridges south of Leslie by a flash flood on the Red river. Five bridges were reported washed away.

Harrison itself virtually has been isolated by ice, necessitating radio transmission of the report.)

The house yesterday also set out to see what can be done about "extremism" in the state's colleges.

It passed a bill which would provide for a committee to make a study of the needs of the colleges. Special attention would be paid to possibilities of "integration and co-ordination" of the several schools.

The 21-member committee would be composed of legislators, college presidents and others. It would report to the governor and would be authorized to prepare proposed legislation for the 1951 general assembly.

The house also passed bills to require licensing of new insurance agents (except life) by the insurance commissioner; to revise the present probate code; to elect Democratic presidential electors on a Democratic primary (they now are chosen at the state Democratic convention); and a bill to double the present \$5 payment to the peace officer for attending quorum court sessions.

Rep. W. L. Ward of Lee county, introduced a resolution for a constitutional amendment to give circuit courts equal jurisdiction in equity matters with chancery courts. He said the purpose was eventual abolition of chancery courts.

Cold Weather Eases Situation in This Area

A blazing sun yesterday and no rain last night eased the critical weather situation in this section yesterday after flooded streams had all but made a large portion of roads in Hempstead impassable and threatened main highways.

Despite the letup of rain Red and Little River will continue to rise but are expected to reach their crest sometime today. Forecasts placed Red River crest at 22 feet.

The U. S. weather bureau here said snow was falling this morning at Harrison, Ark., which virtually has been isolated for several days.

The forecaster said temperatures would drop to below zero in the northwest section tonight. A low of 28 was forecast for the extreme southeast section.

The cold weather hit northwest Arkansas just as many cities and towns in that section were digging away the remains of an ice storm earlier in the week.

First relief for the area came yesterday when warm rains started to thaw the ice coating which virtually has covered that section for days.

Arkansas apparently was emerging from the grip of flood waters, however, as cessation of the heavy rains was reported by the weather bureau.

Many sections of the state were still under water today but danger of further flooding apparently has passed.

The most serious problem involving the human element appeared was along the White river, where the rain-swollen stream spread over bottom lands and forced some families from their homes.

Emergency relief supplies for refugees from these lowlands were flown in here late last night.

Eight air force planes, from Carswell air force base, Fort Worth, Tex.,

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It is the first of two companion measures—the net effect of which would be to cut the cigarette tax only one cent per pack. The other bill, already introduced in the senate, would put cigarettes under the sales tax, thus adding a tax of one cent per pack. Both have been advocated by Gov. McMath.

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Local Man Identifies Body

Hugo, Okla., (AP)—George Bickert of Hope, Arkansas said Thursday a man found dead near here was not his father but an itinerant cotton picker who had worked for him three years.

Bickert said he had today after a letter with his name was found on the body of the man beside the railroad tracks four miles east of here. Bickert said he knew the man only as "Dad" Hendrix. Hendrix was 80 years old. Death was attributed to a heart attack. At first it was believed the man was Conroe Bickertstaff, 70, of Denver, Colo.

Florida Governor Seeks to Ban Klan, Other Groups

Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 28 —(UP)—Gov. Fuller W. Warren announced today that he will ask the Florida legislature to outlaw the Ku Klux Klan and any other "terrorist organization."

He declared his intention a few hours after a motecade of hooded klansmen had paraded through this capital city in a nighttime celebration of the founding of a Tallahassee klavern.

Warren said the klansmen apparently had set out to terrorize "minority groups" in Florida as they have in a "nearby state," an obvious reference to Georgia which contributed a large number of the klansmen who visited Tallahassee last night.

The walrus is closely related to the seal and sea lion.

Second Victim of Blaze at Marked Tree

Marked Tree, Jan. 28 —(AP)—Fire which leaped through a small house claimed its second victim today.

Ralph Noble, 30, tenant farmer died at a Jonesboro hospital this morning from injuries suffered when his house near here was destroyed by flames last night.

A one-year-old girl perished in the flames. Four other persons were burned.

The victim was Mary Lee Frost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Frost. Her mother suffered minor burns.

Mrs. Noble and her two small daughters also suffered burns. They were taken to the St. Bernard hospital at Jonesboro.

The flames spread through the house after tractor fuel thrown on a wood fire, exploded.

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By HAL BOYLE
Montgomery, Ala., (AP)—A boisterous, gaily glib of the earth has set this cradle of the confederacy rocking.

Two years after they put him into the governor's chair on a tidal wave of votes, Alabama folks still don't know what to make of Big Jim Folsom.

Some think he is a dangerous demagogue. Some dismiss him as an overgrown county clown on a political spree whose antics will bring the name of fair Alabama into disrepute.

Others regard him as a kind of Twentieth Century Andy Jackson, raised up by the people to save them from the "got rocks"—the financial masters.

As of now, Big Jim perhaps doesn't quite fit any of these pigeon-holes. But any comparison with Andrew Jackson flatters him tremendously.

"Mr. Folsom is Andy Jackson—past, present and future," he said.

"And I believe like he did, Andy said to the victor belong the spoils. What he meant by that was to the people belong the victory."

If he had just meant that the victor grabbed the spoils, Andy would have sold out himself to the "got rocks." Well, he didn't sell out. And Big Jim ain't going to either.

The 6-foot-8-inch, 265-pound governor is the most laughed-at man in the south today.

"What'd you think of him?" People here ask when you say you've met him. And they laugh as they ask—that is, the educated people do. What they mean is:

"Isn't he about the crudest thing you ever saw in a governor's chair?"

Well, he probably is. He knows he isn't going to hold the commo-man's vote down here by developing a Harvard accent.

Even those who have a strong dislike for Folsom find it hard to dislike him personally. He is as hearty, friendly, and winning as an overgrown puppy. But he's a pretty wise old dog politically at 46. He has the demagogue's gift of stirring up the people. He won office by going around the countryside with a cornshuck mop and a pail of suds promising to clean up "the shempening mills in the state."

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Nationalists in Appeal to Reds for Peace

By the Associated Press
Acting President Li Tsiang-chen of China appealed today to the Communists to name the place and negotiators for peace talks.

Meanwhile chaos, a condition favored by communism, spread through the sprawling country.

Premier Sun Fo and Foreign Minister Wu Te-shen, regarded as the main advocates for fighting on, were strangely missing and perhaps in conference with Chiang Kai-shek. Friends said they feared Li might hand them over to the Communists as war criminals. One theory was that a move was afoot to establish a fugitive government in revolt against Li, with Chiang probably again at the head.

A regiment of Nationalist troops revolted at Peiping, then moved into Red territory. The commander, Gen. Shih Chu-chang, had opposed bitterly giving up Peiping with hardly a battle. The city apparently is to be taken over by the Communist army.

In flight from the Communists, more than 600 persons were believed drowned when two ships collided 100 miles south of Shanghai.

Persevering talks between Egypt and Israel seemed about to fail. The Jews refused to give up gains in the Negev desert of southern Palestine although some were in territory allotted the Arabs under partition.

American planes hunted wide areas of Europe, Africa and the Atlantic for a B-29 Superfortress lost between Dakar and England last 15 aboard.

Burma rebels, many of whom are Communists, won a firm grip on the Rangoon-Mandalay railroad in an apparent effort to seal Rangoon off from the rest of the country.

They captured the rail towns of Toungou and Pyu. The Communist guerrillas of Greece offered to talk peace if Communist conditions are accepted. One of these is that American aid be cut off. The government put out strong hints it was not interested.

Rumors continued that Russian Vice Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky is in Czechoslovakia, possibly trouble shooting for the thing called the economic council of mutual aid—Russia's counter-part of the Marshall plan.

The foreign ministers of Sweden, Norway and Denmark reached Oslo to resume talks of a Scanavian defense alliance. The Norwegians, however, seemed too far apart for agreement. Norway wants an alliance and weapons from the western nations, meaning the United States. Sweden wants only neutrality and no ties to the proposed north Atlantic alliance.

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Arkansas News

Fayetteville, Jan. 28 —(AP)—Guy M. Works has been acquitted of a charge of converting public funds to private use.

The charge grew out of construction of a sewage disposal plant here last year. Works was construction foreman.

To Speak Here



Mrs. Alma Cunningham, principal speaker at the Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet tonight at P. M. at the High School Cafeteria will discuss "Fashion-Wise and Otherwise."

Mrs. Cunningham is director of the Fashion and Sportswear Center of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, and will bring with her thirty original designs to be modeled by Miss Arthurdale Heffner, Adolphine Andrews, Catherine Cox, Nancy Martin, Jody Wolfe, and Wilma Coleman of Hope. Accompanying Mrs. Cunningham will be Miss Betty Terrell, prominent designer for the Johnston Company.

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Wages as Well May Have Hit Postwar Peak

Washington, Jan. 28 —(AP)—The economic winds stirred up a hint today that wages, like prices, may have reached a postwar peak. In some cases, they may have started a downward trend.

More than 300,000 auto and electrical workers of the General Motors Corp., stand to take a two or three-cent an hour pay cut on the basis of the government's declining cost-of-living index.

And officials of at least one major union, the CIO's amalgamated clothing workers, said they have decided against a fourth round of postwar pay boosts because of slackened demand for menswear.

"We're practical realists, you know," one clothing union official told a reporter. "We've decided against asking for any new wage increase now, even though our members for the price pinch, too, because right now our industry is soft."

Officials of the union, holding a powwow here, said consumers have had to pay so much for food in the past few months they had little left to buy clothing but now that food and other items are coming down:

"Maybe the consumer will have more money in his pocket to buy clothing," he said.

The clothing workers are the fourth largest CIO union; only the steelworkers, auto workers and electrical workers unions are larger.

Pay cuts for the auto and electrical workers employed by general motors appear imminent because their wages are tied by agreement to the government living cost index.

The index took its third straight monthly decline yesterday to 171.4. This covered December prices and was one half of one per cent below November and 1.8 per cent below August-September peak.

But prices still are high—29 per cent above pre-war levels in 1946.

Labor experts say declining prices are bound to have their effects on wage negotiations this spring.

Dog Catcher Bill Back Before House

Little Rock, Jan. 28 —(AP)—A bill which has been described as making every Arkansas dog catcher come back before the house of representatives today.

The house reverses and taxation committee held a public hearing on the bill last night. It sent it back to the house without recommendation.

However, the author, Rep. Jack Hornbuckle of Baxter county, said he would try to amend the bill to meet objections raised at the hearing.

Only Hornbuckle spoke for the bill, desiring to control dogs in non-municipal areas. He described himself as a "dog lover and dog owner," but blamed stray dogs for killing livestock and spreading rabies.

Several persons spoke against the proposal. Former attorney General Jack Holt, runner-up in last summer's race for the democratic nomination for governor, appeared as attorney for the Pu-laski Humane Society, which opposed the bill.

The bill would require a heavy license for all dogs and would permit anyone—and require peace officers—to shoot an unlicensed dog on sight. "There wouldn't be a sheriff, a deputy or a constable in the state who wouldn't violate this law 10 times a day," Holt declared.

"If he didn't, he'd never get to his office. He'd spend his time shooting dogs."

The committee recommended passage of two bills designed to increase the state's revenue from operation of the Oklahoma race track to prohibit anyone from 19 from playing a pin ball machine. Other bills recommended included one for an automobile title registration law.

It deferred action on a bill for a \$1 per barrel tax on beer to finance a retirement system for police and uniformed employees in cities of the first class.

Defense Budget Appears Safe From Slash

Washington, Jan. 28 —(AP)—President Truman's \$14,288,000,000 defense budget for the fiscal year starting in July appeared safe from major slashes today, after House appropriations committee members said as much.

An off-the-record session with Secretary of Defense Forrestal and other top military leaders yesterday.

Congress may give the air forces enough money for a 70-group force instead of the 48 requested by Truman, they indicated, by simply transferring to it an estimated \$800,000,000 set aside in the budget for universal military training.

"Congress just isn't going to pass a UMT bill," a committee member said.

The case for an air force with more groups than the president has requested is being built up in the house armed services committee.

State Police Made 9,990 Arrests in 1948

Little Rock, Jan. 28 —(AP)—The Arkansas state police reported today they made 9,990 arrests during 1948.

The report said there were 3,495 convictions last year and 2,000 acquittals. A total of 750 prisoners were released to other officers and 527 cases were dismissed by the prosecution.

The number of accidents investigated by state police in 1948 was listed as 1,627.

GOP Quarrel Is Far From Settled

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 28 —(UP)—Organization to the Republican party, damage in an angry two-day national committee meeting here was far from repaired.

It has been a tough week all around in Omaha. Nebraska was half-paralyzed by snow drifts and ice when the Republicans began gathering here last weekend. The weather and Republican tempers grew steadily worse.

When the roll finally was called, 45-year-old Hugh D. Scott, Jr., kept his job as national committee chairman but by the slim margin of 54 votes to 50.

The ouster move against him was on charges that he was a front man for Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York. The committee never got around to voting for Roy E. Dunn, Minnesota, the opposition pick for chairman. The Scott forces tabled the ouster resolution and that ended it, at least for the time being.

Committee member Harry Sommers, Georgia, publicly apologized to Committee member Harrison E. Springer, Iowa, whom he had described during the angry argument as a man without a conscience. But all the rest of yesterday's hard words remained on the record including some remarkable repudiations of Dewey's presidential campaign.

That he might ever be considered by the party again for the presidential nomination.

Many of Dewey's former ardent supporters denied him here yesterday as a campaign spokesman for the C. O. P. That was done to protect Scott against charges he was responsible for losing the election.

Scott was Dewey's hand-picked committee chairman as he and his supporters here repeatedly explained, he had nothing to do with the Dewey-Warren campaign. Committee members heard after the voting that former Governor Ralph F. Gates, Indiana, was so mad at Scott that he probably would oppose him one way or another for renomination in 1950.

That is the way it was among the Republicans as the national committee meeting broke up. They gave Scott a unanimous vote of confidence after his 54-to-50 victory. But the wounds were still unbandaged.

Telephone calls went in all directions after the voting. The word came from Washington that top congressional leaders were not appeased. They were determined also to scuttle Scott's plan for a party of national policy conference sometime next autumn. It was referred to a policy committee.

Some committee members here predicted they would be meeting again in four or five months to fight the anti-Scott battle all over again.

Both Sides Say Landlords Are Making Mistake

By EDWIN B. HAAKINSON
Washington, Jan. 28 —(AP)—Republicans and Democrats agreed today with President Truman that landlords are making a bad mistake if they try to evict tenants as a protest against rent controls.

Senate Democratic Leader Charles McNary told a reporter that senators certainly will look into these evictions when they consider extending federal rent controls that expire March 31.

"I think it's a most extraordinary and shameful performance," McNary added.

Senator Saltonstall (R-Mass.) acting Republican leader, said: "Personally, I don't think actions of that kind help in the solution of difficult problems."

Mr. Truman told his news conference yesterday he did not believe the landlords could get away with the evictions. He said the plan originated in Tulsa, Okla.

Tighten Wade, who administers the federal rent control program, jumped into action with a promise to fight such mass evictions in court.

Telegrams answering complaints, Woods urged landlords to convey such eviction notices to inform area federal rent control offices.

If landlords refuse to withdraw notices, officials of the housing expediter will seek to obtain evictions by action in the courts, he added.

Senator Myers (D-Pa.) said such evictions result from a decision by the GOP-controlled congress to end federal control of evictions and place them under state and local controls.

Myers already has offered a Senate bill to extend federal rent control for 12 months beyond March 31. It would restrict federal control of evictions.

Senator Tobey (R-N.H.) former chairman of the banking committee, said he did "not think mass evictions were possible under the present law."

He said that if landlords were using this method "to create fear it should be repudiated," and he proved by the congress.

Sen. Kenneth C. Culver, former Oklahoma governor, said he had no comment on the Oklahoma evictions or extension of rent control. But a freshman senator from Tulsa, the Rev. Wallace Murphy, a leader in the property owners revolt, said he could not understand President Truman's statement.

"We are American businessmen," he said. "We simply want to go out of business. It is unprofitable."

Finances Blamed for Slaying

Sacramento, Calif., Jan. 28 —(AP)—The young man who married—and killed—a beauty contest winner, authorities say, has told the story of his troubles.

The young wife's nude body was found in the couple's rooming house apartment here Tuesday. And this said Deputy District Attorney Albert Mündt, is the story of a man who was 27 years old navy veteran husband.

Analene Stewart, 23, from the little farm town of Vilonia, Ark., moved to California, won a state-wide beauty contest sponsored by the National Kappa Kappa Gamma March 19, 1947. She and her husband, who were married in March, 1947, were separated, but two months later were reconciled. She remained an office worker for the railroad.

After this story to police continued) plunged into his young bride liked parties and downs. He cashed \$300 worth of bad checks. Tuesday they argued about money.

She sat in a rocking chair. Carter noked in a hammer he noticed in the closet, and struck her head. She "still thinned"—so he choked her too. Then he ripped off her clothing and took her into the shower; the blood still welled from her head. He tied a bathrobe belt around her neck to stop it. He cleaned things up a bit, and went down to dinner.

Afterward, he fled in a chartered plane to his mother's home in San Jose. He was arrested for questioning, and San Jose and Sacramento police said he confessed. No charge has been filed.

Officers of Home Clubs Meet Here

Seventeen officers from eight Home Demonstration Clubs were present at the Home Demonstration Club Officers Training meeting which was held Thursday, January 27, in the City Hall, Mrs. Flora Friend, District Home Demonstration Agent, assisted in training. Blackwood, Home Demonstration Agent, assisted Mrs. Grace Huckabee, council president, presided at the business meeting.

The following clubs were represented by: Baker, Mrs. J. W. White, Mrs. T. B. Fenwick, Mrs. James Lauterback, and Mrs. J. B. Hargis; Rocky Mount, Mrs. Claude McCorkle; Hopewell, Mrs. John Keck; Mrs. O. B. Hodett, and Mrs. Rex Johnson; Shover Springs, Mrs. Ed Funcher; Victory, Mrs. Schoolhouse; Hinton, Mrs. Tommie Gibson; Melrose, Mrs. Gilbert Brown; and Green Laster, Mrs. Odel Luck, Mrs. Carter Sutton, and Mrs. J. D. Bullock.

The regular council meeting will meet in March.

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Both Sides Say Landlords Are Making Mistake

By EDWIN B. HAAKINSON
Washington, Jan. 28 —(AP)—Republicans and Democrats agreed today with President Truman that landlords are making a bad mistake if they try to evict tenants as a protest against rent controls.

Senate Democratic Leader Charles McNary told a reporter that senators certainly will look into these evictions when they consider extending federal rent controls that expire March 31.

"I think it's a most extraordinary and shameful performance," McNary added.

Senator Saltonstall (R-Mass.) acting Republican leader, said: "Personally, I don't think actions of that kind help in the solution of difficult problems."

Mr. Truman told his news conference yesterday he did not believe the landlords could get away with the evictions. He said the plan originated in Tulsa, Okla.

Tighten Wade, who administers the federal rent control program, jumped into action with a promise to fight such mass evictions in court.

Telegrams answering complaints, Woods urged landlords to convey such eviction notices to inform area federal rent control offices.

If landlords refuse to withdraw notices, officials of the housing expediter will seek to obtain evictions by action in the courts, he added.

Senator Myers (D-Pa.) said such evictions result from a decision by the GOP-controlled congress to end federal control of evictions and place them under state and local controls.

Myers already has offered a Senate bill to extend federal rent control for 12 months beyond March 31. It would restrict federal control of evictions.

Senator Tobey (R-N.H.) former chairman of the banking committee, said he did "not think mass evictions were possible under the present law."

He said that if landlords were using this method "to create fear it should be repudiated," and he proved by the congress.

Sen. Kenneth C. Culver, former Oklahoma governor, said he had no comment on the Oklahoma evictions or extension of rent control. But a freshman senator from Tulsa, the Rev. Wallace Murphy, a leader in the property owners revolt, said he could not understand President Truman's statement.

"We are American businessmen," he said. "We simply want to go out of business. It is unprofitable."

Finances Blamed for Slaying

Sacramento, Calif., Jan. 28 —(AP)—The young man who married—and killed—a beauty contest winner, authorities say, has told the story of his troubles.

The young wife's nude body was found in the couple's rooming house apartment here Tuesday. And this said Deputy District Attorney Albert Mündt, is the story of a man who was 27 years old navy veteran husband.

Analene Stewart, 23, from the little farm town of Vilonia, Ark., moved to California, won a state-wide beauty contest sponsored by the National Kappa Kappa Gamma March 19, 1947. She and her husband, who were married in March, 1947, were separated, but two months later were reconciled. She remained an office worker for the railroad.

After this story to police continued) plunged into his young bride liked parties and downs. He cashed \$300 worth of bad checks. Tuesday they argued about money.

She sat in a rocking chair. Carter noked in a hammer he noticed in the closet, and struck her head. She "still thinned"—so he choked her too. Then he ripped off her clothing and took her into the shower; the blood still welled from her head. He tied a bathrobe belt around her neck to stop it. He cleaned things up a bit, and went down to dinner.

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Three Leap to Safety as Plane Crashes

Madison, Wis., Jan. 28 —(AP)—An air force B-26 crashed within 100 yards of a Day county school house last night moments after the light bomber's three-man crew parachuted to safety.

The plane crashed near Sam Some's farm about 400 feet from the school house. The plane was carrying three crew members and a mailman.

Sheriff's officers identified members of the crew as Lt. R. K. Scudler, 30, Salt Lake City, pilot; H. M. Swanson, 24, Muskegon, Mo., co-pilot and Pvt. Appolone Orlega 21, of Georgetown, Calif. They quoted the crew members as saying the plane developed engine trouble about 400 feet above the school house. The pilot was Wright Field, Dayton, O.

Alme said he had talked with the three crewmen and none was hurt.

Defense Budget Appears Safe From Slash

Washington, Jan. 28 —(AP)—President Truman's \$14,288,000,000 defense budget for the fiscal year starting in July appeared safe from major slashes today, after House appropriations committee members said as much.

An off-the-record session with Secretary of Defense Forrestal and other top military leaders yesterday.

Congress may give the air forces enough money for a 70-group force instead of the 48 requested by Truman, they indicated, by simply transferring to it an estimated \$800,000,000 set aside in the budget for universal military training.

"Congress just isn't going to pass a UMT bill," a committee member said.

The case for an air force with more groups than the president has requested is being built up in the house armed services committee.

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Social and Personal

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Friday, January 28
The Friday Music Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Hendrix, 1234 S. Edgewood St. The meeting will begin at 7:30 and members are urged to attend. A social hour will follow the meeting.

NOTICE
The Fidelis Sunday School Class will meet at the home of Mrs. Hendrix, 1234 S. Edgewood St. The meeting will begin at 7:30 and members are urged to attend. A social hour will follow the meeting.

Wednesday, February 2
Circle No. 3 will have its monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Hendrix, 1234 S. Edgewood St. The meeting will begin at 7:30 and members are urged to attend. A social hour will follow the meeting.

Willing Workers Class
The Willing Workers Class of the Hope Gospel Tabernacle met Thursday night at 7:45 o'clock in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Mrs. J. W. Mohon, president called the meeting to order and the business session was presided over by the teacher, Mrs. W. W. White. A very inspiring devotional was given by Mrs. Mohon. During the social hour, the hostesses, Mrs. Ted Robertson and Mrs. Jess R. Gilliam, served a delicious dessert course with hot chocolate to 13 members and three guests. Mrs. Danzil Stewart, Mrs. Eugene Story and Miss Hazel Adams.

Coming and Going

Reverend W. Northey Jones, Mrs. Jones and Frank R. Johnson returned Thursday afternoon from Pine Bluff where they attended

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The Annual Episcopalian convention.
Max Murphy arrived Thursday night from Oxford, Mississippi, where he is attending "Ole Miss" to spend the mid-term holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murphy.

Mrs. George Hosmer returned Thursday night from Dallas where she attended the American Fashion Exhibitors Show and the National Fashion Exhibitors Showing in Fort Worth.

Hospital Notes

Branch
Admitted:
Baby Billy Teel, Hope.
Suzanne McNeill, Hope.

Josephine
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henry, Hope announce the arrival of a daughter on January 28, 1949.

Admitted:
Mrs. James V. LaCrosse, Hope.
Mrs. W. A. Henry, Hope.
Little Miss Sharon Ann Starnes, Hope.

Discharged:
Mrs. E. E. Bresler and little son, Hope.
Mrs. E. W. Shellogg and little son, Fulton.

Julia Chester
Admitted:
Mrs. M. P. Erwin, McNab, Ark.
Discharged:
Robert Bain, Hope.
Mrs. Della Pate, Hope.
Mrs. Mike Foley, Hope.
Mrs. Chester Whitten, Rosston.
Mrs. Theo Bailey, Lewisville.

Gas Pipeline Hearing Set February 24

The Federal Power Commission has agreed to pass directly on the application of Texas Gas Transmission Corporation to construct an 800-mile natural gas pipeline from Texas to Ohio, thereby waiving the intermediate procedure requiring a recommendation by the Trial Examiner.

The full five-man Commission will hear oral arguments on February 24, and the filing of briefs will be permitted on or before February 14. The Commission acted on a motion filed by W. T. Stevenson, executive vice president of Texas Gas' application before Examiner Marvin Farrington came to an end last week after three and one-half months.

Mr. Stevenson told the Commission that the large number of intervenors and applicants in the case had contributed substantially to the time required to conclude the hearings. He said that a prompt decision on the part of the FPC would enable the Company to move ahead rapidly in its plan to bring additional gas supplies to consuming areas.

Texas Gas has already taken many steps to have the proposed \$75,500,000 project in operation by the end of the year, Mr. Stevenson declared, and is awaiting only the FPC authorization to go ahead. In this connection, he pointed out to the Commission the advanced status of the project as follows:

1. Arrangements to finance the project—including the sale of \$60,000,000 3 1/2 percent bonds due 1968 to 12 major insurance companies—have already been completed.
2. Sixty-three miles of the 26-inch pipe line, from Lula, Mississippi to Memphis, Tennessee have been constructed.
3. 200 miles of 26-inch steel pipe has been bought and delivered along the right-of-way, in addition to the 63 miles already in the ground.
4. Firm arrangements calling for receipt of the balance of the steel pipe to complete the entire project have been made.

5. The aerial and ground surveys of the entire route have been completed.
- 6. Over 50 per cent of the right-of-way has been acquired.

Mr. Stevenson also declared that Texas Gas has negotiated long-term gas purchase and sales contracts for supplies of gas at the southern terminus of the line, and distribution at the northern terminus, in addition to taking care of the needs of the Company's existing customers.

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John Wayne Is Featured at Saenger Sunday

John Wayne, for years one of the screen's most popular stars, recently turned his dramatic ability to work as producer of Republic's "Angel and the Badman." Thus Wayne became a man of distinction in a Hollywood that has fine producers and fine actors but where a dual-career man is a rarity.

Now John comes through once more, thrilling audiences with his forceful characterization of "Captain Ralls" in Republic's exciting sea story, "Wake of the Red Witch," at the Saenger theater Sunday.

Wayne is an Iowa boy; he was born Marion Michael Morrison, Winterset. When he was five years old, his father lost his health and the family doctor recommended a journey in the desert. So when Clyde Morrison packed up his pills and prescriptions and moved his family to Lancaster, California, a town in the barren Mojave desert, young John got his first taste of ranch life.

"Nick-Name 'Duke'"
One year of homesteading gave the older Morrison back his health, and it also gave him back his urge to mix prescriptions and ice cream sodas, so he moved his family to Glendale and bought another drug store. John grew up in the famous Los Angeles suburb. He had the lead in a high school play, taking the role of a duke. Ever after that his friends called him "Duke" and the name has stuck to this day.

He suffered a bitter disappointment when he was named for an appointment to Annapolis. A Naval career had been his boyhood ambition, and to forget his disappointment he stowed away on an ocean liner bound for Honolulu. Following this brief escapade he worked as a pick-up truck driver, ice man and "juicer" for the telephone company.

Star Football Player
Then he was able to secure a college scholarship at the University of Southern California. He became a star Trojan tackle. In those days it was customary for college athletes to secure summer vacation jobs in the studios doing heavy work to condition them for the football season. Wayne got a job as prop man at Fox. He was assigned to a John Ford picture. Director and prop man, curiously enough, soon became fast friends.

Raoul Walsh was looking for a tall, gangling newcomer to play a role in "The Big Trail." Ford induced him to come over and look at his prop man—and that's what started Wayne on his picture career. It was Wayne, then, head of Fox, who changed his name from Duke Morrison to John Wayne.

Takes "Dramatic" Lessons
Wayne had two days' grace before the film was to start; he immediately employed a Hollywood dramatic coach for two shift school outs. Raoul Walsh had to spend more than two days undoing the work that the dramatic coach had done. John hasn't had a dramatic lesson since, and his naturalness is the key to his success as an actor.

"The Big Trail" wasn't too successful and Wayne lapsed into a series of lesser pictures. He became the first "singing cowboy" on record with his series known as "Singing Sam." Then, in 1938 Republic signed him for the lead in their "Three Mesquiteras" western series, "Stagecoach."

In 1939, Walter Wanger signed John Ford to direct "Stagecoach," which had been a highly successful Collier's Magazine serial. Ford called Wayne, invited him to spend the week-end on his yacht, and have been made.

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JOHN WAYNE and GAIL RUSSELL in a romantic scene from Republic's adventure story, "WAKE OF THE RED WITCH."

DOROTHY DIX Crime Against Nature

Dear Miss Dix: I am married to the finest woman in the world and love her devotedly. Her only fault is that she insists on working in a factory where she has a good job that is well paid. This is not necessary as I am amply able to support her and long to do so, and what I crave more than anything else is to have a home with a wife in it who will be a companion.

This I do not have as my wife works at night. We have five children who do the best they can, but they cannot take a mother's place. My wife started working outside of the home during the war and she never has been willing to quit. Can you suggest any way that I can make her realize that a wife's first duty is to her family?

O. N.
Answer: Of course, the general belief is that all women are domestic by nature, and that their favorite pastime is cuddling the baby and keeping their houses spick-and-span and cooking up toothsome meals for their husbands. Fortunately, for the good of humanity, this is true of many wives; but there is a large percentage of other women who have no leanings whatever toward domesticity. Their children are a bore to them. They loathe the very sight of a cooking stove, and they crave the excitement of working in crowds outside of their homes.

Such women commit a crime against Nature when they marry, for they are not fitted by temperament to rear children, or be good wives, or make comfortable homes. Careers and wifehood and motherhood do not mix. You can't pass on rearing a child to hisings and get good results. And you can't make a home that is a real home unless there is a woman in it who loves her job.

So there you are, Mister, and if there is any way to arrange a woman with a roaring foot into an Alice-sit-by-the-fire, no one knows how to turn the trick. And more's the pity.

Dear Dorothy Dix: I have a problem which I am having a terrible time solving. I am a girl of 26 and can't seem to make up my mind about marrying a boy who is very nice and a good provider, but with whom I am not in love. I keep thinking that if I don't take him, maybe I won't get anyone as good. My friends urge me to marry him and tell me I couldn't do any better. I know I am not getting any younger, so I can't miss anything because I just don't know what to do.

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Answer: My advice to you is to stay single, for there is no misery on earth that is so devastating as a loveless marriage. Every marriage has plenty of hard sledding in it. No man and woman can live together without getting on each other's nerves and having disagreements and having to put up with each other's peculiarities, but if they love each other they can forgive and forget. If there is no love, every little pin prick makes a festering sore that never heals.

In former times, when no gainful occupation was open to women, there was some excuse for their marrying to get a meal ticket. But now, when every occupation is open to women and every girl can be self-supporting, it is worse than folly for a woman to marry without love.

Dear Miss Dix: My husband and I have had a discussion as to who fares the better in life, the selfish or the unselfish woman? I claim a selfish woman gains everything and wins out in the long run, whereas an unselfish woman always shoves into the back seat. My husband claims that the woman who takes the back seat and unselfishly puts others before herself will be the happier of the two. Which one of us is right?

A BEWILDERED WIFE
Answer: It is certainly true that the women who are grabbers and who take the best of everything get the reserved seats in life, but I don't think they are ever the happiest people, because the greedy are never satisfied. Also, they are universally disliked. People may put up with them for one reason or another, but they always have out their knives for them.

So I think that your husband is right in saying that the woman who is generous and altruistic and always ready to do a kind deed, the back seat woman, will be the happier of the two.

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Westminster Abbey was originally the church of an old Benedictine Abbey built in the 7th century.

spent the entire time reading the script and talking about it. "Who do you think ought to play 'The Ringer Kid'?" he asked. Wayne promptly replied, "Lloyd Nolan." Patiently Ford explained that he had someone else in mind and when Wayne finally realized that he himself was Ford's choice he was dumfounded.

Program Star



Walter Abel enacts here the part of an over-indulgent father in "The Goose Hangs High," the drama chosen for broadcast this week on the radio series, "Great Scenes From Great Plays," sponsored weekly by families of The Protestant Episcopal Actors' Guild. The play will be broadcast over KXAR, Friday night at 7 o'clock.

Blevins

Miss Ann Buchanan of Magnolia visited her sister, Miss Sue Beth Buchanan and the L. J. Browns the past weekend.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Tippit were Elder and Mrs. Noel O'Steen and children of De Ann.

Dwight Stewart of Houston, Texas is visiting his mother, Mrs. T. J. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Whitefield and children were Sunday guests in the Carl Zurnwalt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earsley McVay and children of Little Rock spent the weekend with Mrs. McVay's family, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Morris and Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Houser of Houston are visiting their families Mrs. Inez Houser of Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Samuels of De Ann.

Mrs. Olive Merchant spent the week-end visiting her daughter, Miss Orene Merchant of Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster and daughter of Arkadelphia are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster and John Lyle.

Misses Lucy Stone, Ina V. Jackson and Lula Bishop were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brown.

Dramatics School to Be Opened in Hope

Mrs. Allen Herndon will open a private Dramatics school for elementary and junior high school age groups, it was learned here today. Emphasis will be on plays, operettas and tap dancing.

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Sunday School Lesson

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D.
The writer of the Book of Hebrews says (Hebrews 4:15) that Jesus "was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin." We speak of "the temptation of Jesus," though as Matthew records them in Matthew 4, the temptations were three.

It is important, however, to realize that if Jesus were tempted as we are, the temptations were not only three, nor were they all at that one time. As we read the Gospels we can see how persistent were the temptations to which the Master was subject.

How else can we interpret His passionate rebuke of Peter, "Get thee behind me, Satan," when Peter had said to Him, "Be it far from Thee, Lord, when the Master had spoken of His prospective sufferings and death? Was it not that Peter was voicing the temptation to renounce His mission and destroy and turn from that way of sacrifice?

And was it not this same temptation with which the Master struggled in that agony in the Garden of Gethsemane, when He prayed earnestly that the cup might pass?

No, the temptation of Jesus was not all of one time or place. For Him, as for us, it lasted all through to the end, and His admonition to the disciples was, "Watch and pray."

But the three temptations of Jesus that Matthew records were basic and had a significance beyond any later, or inherent, temptation. There is a point in all of our lives at which temptation is crucial, at which the decision we make or the victory we achieve determines and marks our whole life. That decision, or victory, may have to be repeated and reaffirmed. But it is the determining point, that tells whether life is to be for God, or for self, for the highest and best, or for some lower aim of ease and pleasure, wealth or fame.

In those three temptations of Jesus the allurements were of the things that ambitious men have sought: power of achievement, "Command that these stones be made bread"; the sense of personal grandeur and superiority, "Cast thyself down" (from the pinnacle of the temple); and wealth, combined with power. "All these things will I give thee."

They were the temptations to which strong men have succumbed, and to which Jesus, conscious of a great possible destiny, must have been susceptible, or the temptation could have had little reality. He was tempted, as we have been tempted, later, even to the last hour. But He never failed. His triumph was in the humble and courageous submission to the Father's will. Nevertheless, not my will, but Thine be done."

Rev. Goldberg to Speak at Unity Church

Rev. Samuel Goldberg, well known Hebrew-Christian minister and missionary, who has preached to great audiences in 40 states, will speak at the Unity Missionary Baptist Church here Sunday, January 30 at 11 a.m.

Rev. Goldberg was born in Russia. His parents were Orthodox Jews, who brought him up in all the Jewish rituals and ceremonies. He was confirmed according to the traditional rites and taught in the rabbinical laws.

Later he embraced Christianity and entered the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago. After his graduation, he was ordained as a Christian minister. Rev. Goldberg has a story to tell which has thrilled his audiences everywhere.

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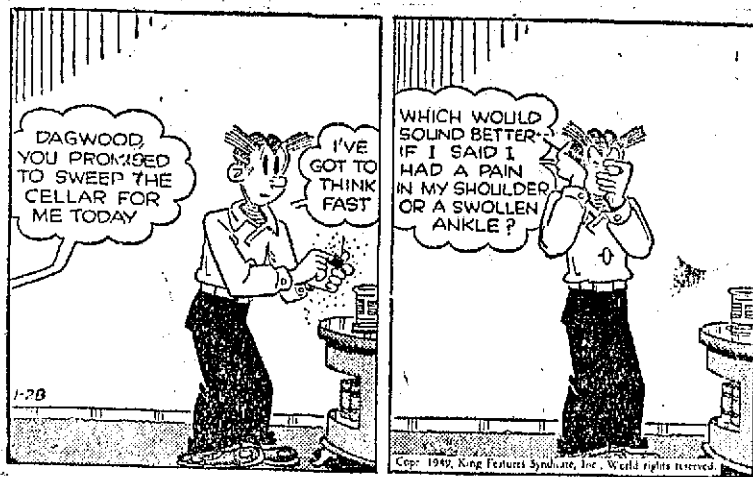
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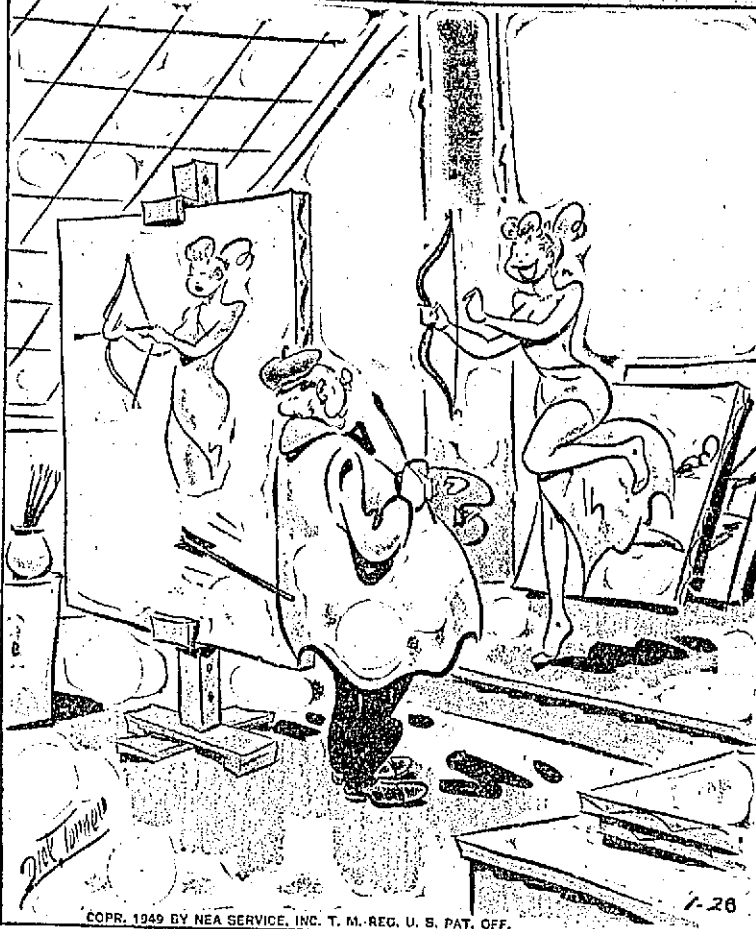
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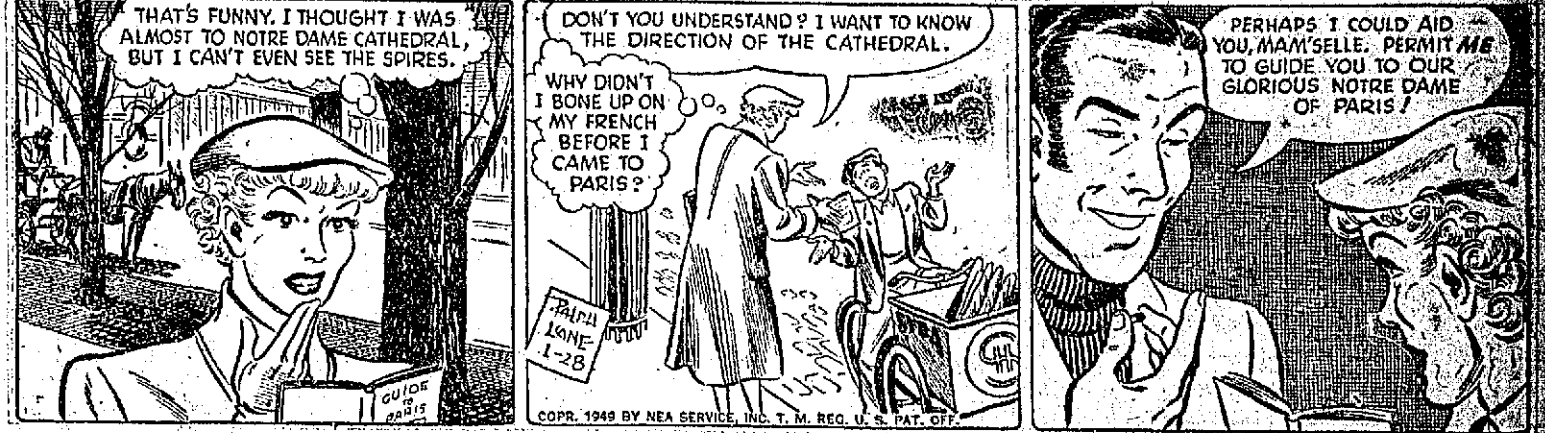
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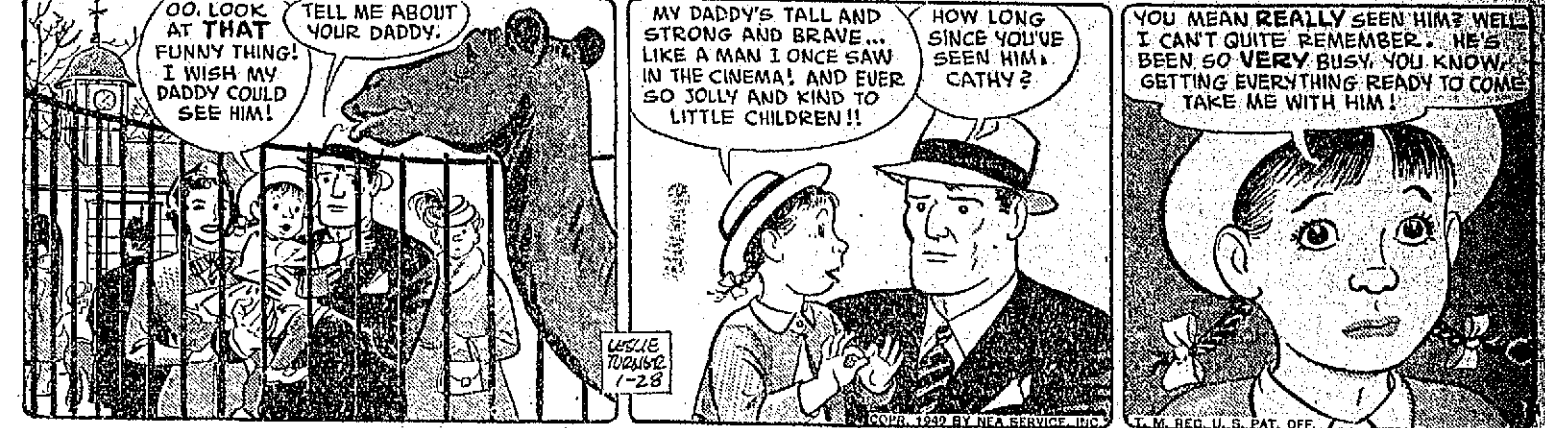
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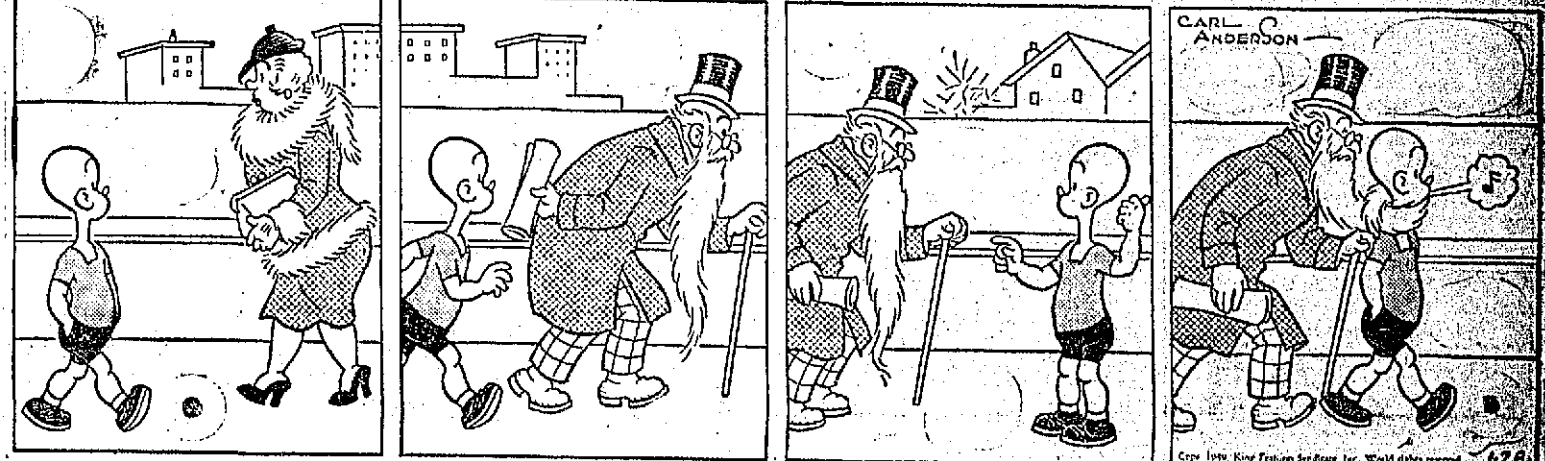
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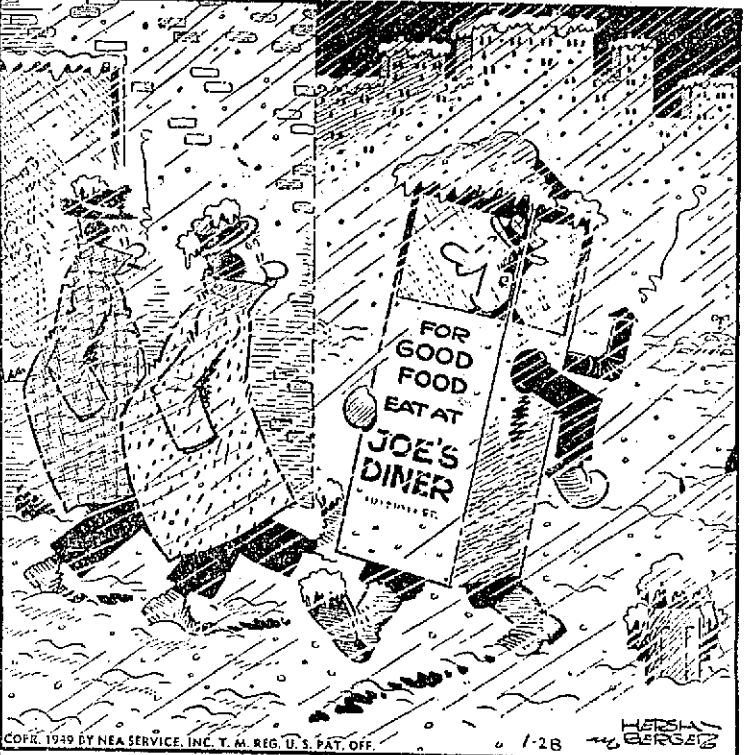
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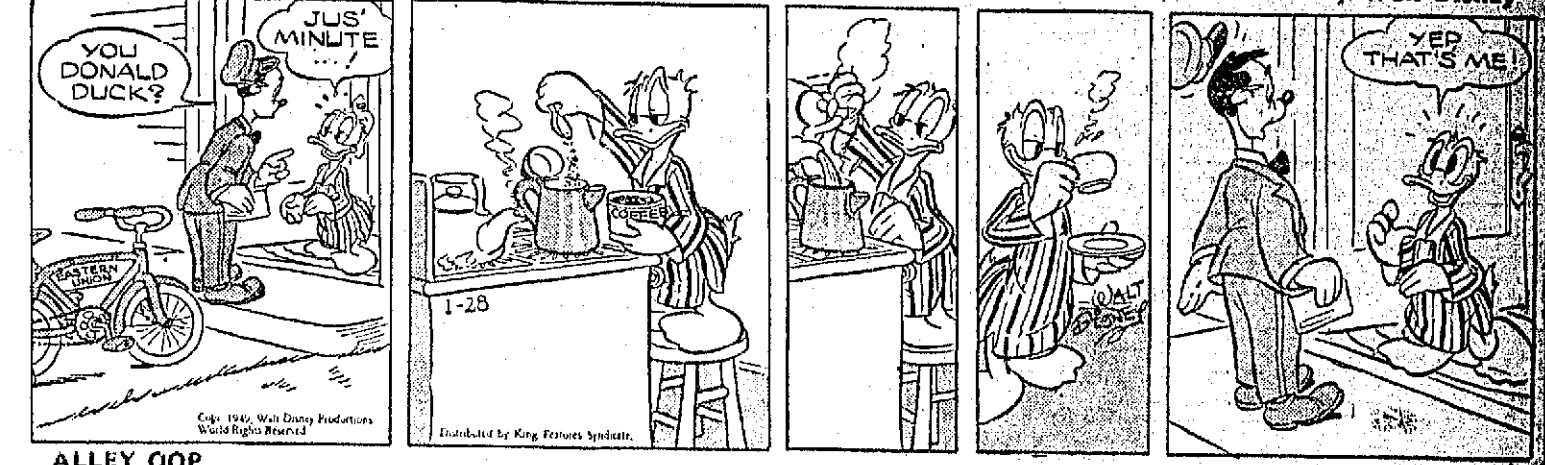
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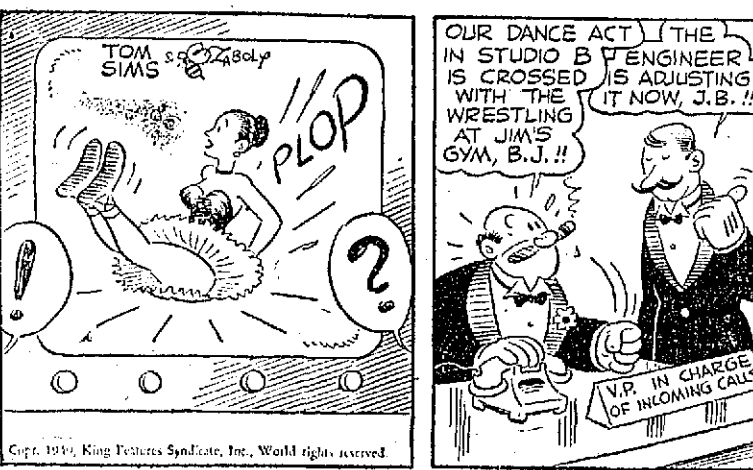
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